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SUPPLEMENTAL TRANSMITTAL FOR COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS  
-- NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

I. This is a supplemental reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) mailed August 7, 2001.

A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted (Form PTO-1533) is enclosed.

DECLARATION OR OATH, ASSIGNMENT AND FEES

II. A new original declaration and power of attorney, assignment and application fees were filed on October 4, 2001.

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### EXTENSION OF TIME

III. The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136(a) apply.

Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension. A check covering the extension fee of \$110.00 is enclosed.

### FORMAL DRAWINGS

IV. Enclosed are 15 sheets of formal drawings.

Please charge Account No. 19-4972 for any additional fees that may be due by this paper.

### AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE ADDITIONAL FEES

V. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees that may be required by this paper and during the pendency of this application to Account No. 19-4972.

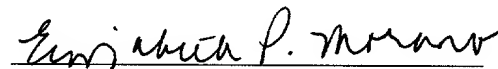
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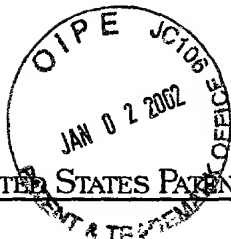
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**NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

***Filing Date Granted***

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$914.
  - \$594 for 33 total claims over 20.
  - \$320 for 4 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 1754.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. ( 5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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